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## Planning Commission For Borough is Urged

by Narberth Business Council.  
Its President, Ralph  
S. Dunne.

### ASKED COUNCIL TO ACT

—at its meeting Monday night, Mr. Dunne was a president of the Narberth Civic Association, which before it disbanded did the original planning for the borough, and secretary of last year's Public Improvements Committee, to which his letter refers.

His views were endorsed Monday afternoon by the board of the Narberth trade organization, of which he is the new president.

The letter follows:

"The Executive Committee of the Narberth Business Council, holding its first meeting of the New Year, recognizes that from time to time the question of public improvements comes to the attention of our general meetings, and believing that the question of public improvements is not one to be properly initiated by the Narberth Business Council, has instructed me as its president, to request Borough Council to give early and serious consideration to the appointment of a Planning Commission which was recommended last spring by the Committee on Public Improvements appointed by Mr. Hall as Burgess of Narberth."

"It further believes that the various public improvements which have been discussed from time to time by various individuals and groups, are of such a character that they overlap each other, and a comprehensive solution to these problems can only be accomplished by an intelligent and thorough survey of the whole subject which could be accomplished by a Planning Commission appointed by Borough Council and carrying with it both the authority and official standing as a result of such an appointment."

"We urge you to give this matter serious consideration at the earliest possible opportunity."

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## 43 on Honor Roll

Student Reporters Tell of Basketball, Coats-of-Arms, Murmur-ettes

Mr. Drennen, Miss Taylor and Miss Hoover have recently returned to school after being ill.

The honor roll for the first period is as follows: First honors in Sixth grade—Kenneth Wilson, Claire DeHart and Barbara Woodrow. Seventh grade—Warren Vincent, Virginia Durbin, Phoebe Jane Ezickson and June Heller. Eighth grade—Eleanor Haywood.

Second honors, Sixth grade—Richard Pruitt, Dick Whiting, Barbara Bailey, Charlotte Crowner, Eleanor Klapper, Loretta Lillis, Barbara Miller, Madeline Mossman, Joan Pearson, Jean Sargent, Ann Snyder and Peggy Sparks. Seventh grade—Jack Young.

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## The 44-Hour Week Will be Explained

at the Annual Banquet of the  
Narberth Business  
Council, and

### NOTABLE PLANS LISTED

for the benefit of every person in business or professional life in the Narberth trading section. The meeting will be held the evening of Monday, January 24, at the Arcadia Restaurant's Green Room. The 44-hour week explainer will be a representative of the Bureau of Inspection, State Department of Labor, Harrisburg.

Another speaker will be announced next week. There will be music, inauguration of the new officers, headed by Ralph S. Dunne, and a good dinner. Tickets are one dollar. All business and professional people of the town are invited.

Mr. Dunne's plans for enlarging the scope and activities of the business people were discussed at a board meeting held Monday afternoon, and met with enthusiastic endorsement. Members of the new executive board are Mr. Dunne and Gene Davis, vice-president; Joseph J. Whiteside, treasurer; Tom Elwood, secretary, and Marios Chios, Arthur L. Cooke, William H. Durbin, Irving Carroll and Frank Salasin, directors.

### TABLET IN ELM HALL

Dr. Albert C. Barnes, the creator of whose Art Museum in Merion is Albert H. Nulty of the Narberth Fire Company, has long been a patron and Honorary Vice-President of the company. Sunday after the Memorial Tribute Service he offered to have a bas relief of Charles Noel put on a memorial in the fire house.

## Dinner for Dold

is Planned for Next Thursday,  
the 20th—a Testimonial  
"Get Together."

It will be stag, and informal . . . 6:30 P. M., and probably at Wynwood House. The public is invited. Requests for reservations at \$2 are being handled by Mrs. Ruth W. Grace, at Borough Hall, and should be mailed her this Saturday . . . or to any member of the committee.

Robert C. Collins, Henry A. Frye, Clarence Kaebler, Carl B. Metzger and Frank A. Schrepfer, who will be toastmaster.

Mr. Dold, who was re-elected tax collector last November, resigned last week, to take a position the end of this month in California, where his daughter, Mrs. George Horning, lives.

## Leadership,

Which Is Known By the Personality  
It Enriches Will  
Be

the theme of the address which Mrs. Sophia W. Bliven will give at the regular meeting of the Women's Community Club of Narberth, 2 P. M., Tuesday, in the Community Building, Miss Bliven, who is manager of the Women's Division of the Penn Mutual Life Insurance Company, will explain how the qualities of leadership are acquired. Well known locally, she numbers among her club offices that of chairman of the division of family finance of the General Federation of Women's Clubs.

### Club Calendar

Mrs. E. F. Kuebler, Music chairman, asks that all members interested in the chorus meet at 12:45 Tuesday in the Legion room of the Community Building for rehearsal. Those wishing to attend the luncheon and bridge of the Fellowship Committee to be held the 21st at the home of Mrs. M. E. Davis are to call Mrs. C. L. Wells. The Narberth club is in charge of the division of the Salvation Army drive, now starting, covering the Borough of Narberth and part of Merion. The thirty members of the drive committee met Thursday morning at the home of the chairman, Mrs. Henry F. Dwyer, for instructions.

The New Membership committee met Wednesday for tea at the home of Mrs. Charles McCurdy, in Cynwyd. They expect to have six or more new applications to present at the next meeting of the Board of Directors.

Members of the club who are attending the Woman's Committee meet

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## Stockholders Approve Increased Bank Stock

Increased Deposits, Profits  
Cited at Meeting  
Tuesday

### MENGES NEW DIRECTOR

Stockholders of the National Bank of Narberth approved, at a meeting in the bank Tuesday night, the plan for increasing the capital structure to keep pace with the growth of deposits. And directors were elected. On Wednesday morning the directors met and re-elected the officers—William T. Alexander, Jr., president; George A. Kerbaugh, vice-president; Carl B. Metzger, Jr., cashier, and A. Donald Amesbury, assistant cashier.

There's a new director—Elmer L. Menges, of Ambler, an attorney with offices in Ambler and Norristown. He is the son-in-law of P. K. Krout, 520 Essex avenue, Narberth. Mr. Menges, who is Congressman J. William Ditter's law partner, is the Bar member who has been ordered by the Montgomery County Court to represent Wendell Bowers, who is charged with the murder of Mrs. Wilma Carpenter.

Other directors, all re-elected, are J. J. Cabrey, Frank A. Schrepfer, Carl B. Metzger, George Kerbaugh,

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### Perfect Record



"No hits, no runs, no errors?" were scored by Frank A. Schrepfer as Borough Councilman so he said on quitting his office. He assumed it January 3 and left it one week and one hour later, with an unblemished record—to become Burgess.

## The Gavel

Was Turned Over By Mrs. Elizabeth  
Mueller, President of the  
Ladies of the Narberth

Fire Company for the past seven years to the newly-elected president, Mrs. William J. Ezickson, Monday, in Elm Hall.

Mrs. Ezickson was also elected to fill Mrs. Mueller's place on the Board of Directors of the Narberth Fire Company.

Other new officers are Mrs. Lloyd B. Edgerton, first vice-president; Mrs. Charles E. Harnden, second vice-president; Mrs. Kenneth M. Boyce, recording secretary; Mrs. E. Lawrence Altemus, treasurer, and three directors, Mrs. J. L. Minick, Mrs. John Wetzel and Mrs. J. Ben Taylor.

A donation of \$75 was unanimously voted on to be given to the Narberth Fire Company for the year of 1937.

Mrs. Mueller, in giving her report, thanked all the members for their loyal support during the past seven years. She welcomed the new officers and wished them success for the coming year.

A meeting of the Board of Directors will be held Monday, at 1 P. M., at the home of Mrs. Ezickson, South Narberth avenue. A luncheon will precede the meeting.

## Sidelights on Far East Told Women Voters' League

Mrs. Lester Hawarth, of the Delaware County League of Women Voters, gave an interesting and intimate talk on the present crisis in the Far East at the meeting of the Lower Merion Branch of the League of Women Voters held at the home of Mrs. C. Albert Freihofer, on Montgomery avenue, Merion, on Wednesday afternoon.

Mrs. Hawarth, who with her husband, heads the Y. M. C. A. work in Philadelphia, has visited both Japan and China. Their first trip to the Orient was 21 years ago, which she contrasted with their recent trip made two years ago. On the latter visit she said there were strong evidences of the building up of a more unified China, especially in the matter of making broad roads for truck and bus travel, and also of the use of aeroplanes for transportation. She recommended articles in the New York Times for a better understanding of the situation.

Tea was served with Mrs. William M. Gehmann, Jr., and Mrs. Charles M. Thompson as assistant hostesses.

### P. R. R. Electrifies

The Pennsylvania Railroad, in an ad which is appearing in all the Main Line papers this week, announces inauguration this Saturday of electrified service to Harrisburg. The first electrified train leaves Philadelphia Saturday at 10:05 A. M.

It will go past Narberth's streamlined station at about 10:18. Also being inaugurated this week is steam heat for the enlarged south-side platform enclosure (or station), where benches have been installed, radiators put in, and a replacement made for the old stove. Our Town still contends that Narberth needs less old station and more new.

The Narberth W. C. T. U. will meet with Mrs. C. H. Nold, Wyndale road, Monday afternoon, at 2 o'clock.

## Charles Victor Noel Personified Narberth

—and the Town and Township  
Memorial Tribute Ser-  
vice Was a

### SIGNIFICANT OCCASION,

according to speakers at the unique event held in the Narberth Theater Sunday from 3:25 to 4:40 P. M.—For it bore witness not only to the hold that the late Fire Chief and Republican Leader had on the hearts of his fellow-men, but also to the warm-heartedness and community unity that is distinctively Narberthian.

Half a thousand men and women bowed their heads for the invocation, by Father Brown of St. Margaret's, Chairman Frank A. Schrepfer introduced John R. Hall, who told how Borough Council had directed him, as Burgess, to call the service "To commemorate the life and service of Charles V. Noel in Narberth, and to express the affection and appreciation of the citizens of the community for one who died in the service of his fellow-men." "Going Home" from Dvorak's symphony was sung by the double male quartet—C. M. Tapp, Henry A. Frye, H. D. Basler, Henry P. Carr, Owen Schmidt, L. Sarle Brown, Lewis W. Easby and Tom Elwood.

Then came expressions of the regard with which "Charley" was held outside Narberth—Township President Julius Ziegert, who read the resolution of regret passed by Lower Merion's Commission; Philadelphia Fire Chief Ross Davis, who told how enthusiastic over his company's fire-fighting efficiency was Narberth's fire chief; and Township Leader Peter C. Hess, who, his voice charged with emotion, declared "In stature he was a little man; but in everything else, he was big."

Solicitor and Former Burgess, Henry A. Frye made reference to the funeral sermon preached December 29 by the Rev. A. E. Anderson of the Narberth Presbyterian Church—that

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## Directors Elected

by the Narberth Community Library  
at the Annual Meeting  
Tuesday.

are Miss Fannie H. Loos, Haverford avenue, and Kenneth L. M. Pray, Woodside avenue. They succeed Mrs. Elizabeth K. Wood, the founder, and Mrs. Louise Voss Cockrill, former vice-president, who had declined to serve after giving 17 and nine years, respectively.

Miss Loos, longtime Narberth resident, is a Wellesley graduate. Mr. Pray, member of the Narberth Recreation Board, is former president of the School Board.

To serve with them for three years, Thomas C. Trotter, Jr., was re-elected.

Officers re-elected are the Rev. Robert E. Keighton, president; Clarence Kaebler, vice-president; Mrs. E. C. Drew, secretary, and Mrs. Katherine W. Bates, treasurer.

Annual Librarian's report will probably appear in Our Town next week.

## Mothers' Assistance to be Luncheon Topic Tues.

The Lower Merion and Narberth Women's Democratic Luncheon Club will hold a luncheon meeting Tuesday, at 12:30, at the General Wayne Inn, Montgomery and Haverford avenues, Narberth. The club presents a speaker each month on the various departments in the State and Federal Government.

Tuesday's speaker will be Miss Marjorie MacCoy, of Haverford, a former member of the State Mothers' Assistance Fund, which helps needy widows maintain homes for their children. It is hoped all women interested in State Legislation on this subject will attend.

Reservations for the luncheon may be made with Mrs. McCarthy Hanger, Cynwyd 909.

"Streamlining Our Public Administration" was the topic of Roger Wells, professor of political science, Bryn Mawr College, who addressed the Ardmore Rotary Club yesterday. Next Thursday the Ardmore Rotarians will attend the eighth anniversary meeting of the Paoli-Malvern-Berwyn Club at Malvern. Ardmore was sponsor of the latter unit.

## Burgess Hall Is Tax Collector; Frank Schrepfer Is New Burgess

Among the Accidents  
That resulted Tuesday from the first  
snow of winter:

Fenders were bent when the cars of Dr. Percival Nicholson, Ardmore, and Mrs. Marian R. Palmer, 240 Merion avenue, collided at Bowman and Narberth avenues.

Harry Hamer's radiator did damage to itself and—of all things—a Lower Merion police car, on Anthony road.

### Mrs. Stuard at D. A. R.

The Dr. Benjamin Rush Chapter of N. S. D. A. R. will meet 1 P. M., Monday, at the home of Mrs. E. B. Hoskins, 504 Haverford avenue, Narberth. Mrs. John L. Miller will be the assistant hostess.

Mrs. Charles M. Stuard, of Ardmore, State Chairman of Americanism, and one of the new State Directors, will be the speaker.

### Postpone P. T. A. Meeting

The Narberth Parent-Teacher Association has postponed the meeting scheduled for Monday evening, January 17, to January 31, in order to accommodate the speaker, Mr. Thomas E. Shaffer, a well-known lecturer. Full information will be given later.

## New Committees

Were Named By Borough Council At  
Monday's Meeting As  
Follows:

Building: Richard L. Miller, chairman; Walter A. Fox and Eugene H. Davis.

Public Safety: Roland Fleer, chairman; Messrs. Miller and Fox.

Highway and Sewers: Messrs. Fox (chairman), and Davis and Fleer.

Legis: Clarence Kaebler, chairman; Davis and Henry P. Carr.

Ordinance and Law: Messrs. Davis (chairman), Kaebler and Miller.

Property: Carr, chairman; Fleer and Miller.

Water, Light and Health: Davis, chairman; Carr and Kaebler.

Finance: Kaebler, chairman; Carr and Fox.

### Other Business

A letter from Anton E. Wohler, denouncing Elm Hall as a fire trap, was referred to the new Public Safety Committee.

Request that Council pass on the zoning status of 102 Elmwood avenue as Narberth Bridge Club headquarters, was referred to the Board of Adjustment (of whose three members two are members of the Bridge Club).

Report was made that Narberth's building for the year 1937 totaled 76 jobs, including 8 new houses, for a total of \$58,384.

For other news of the meeting, see other columns of this paper.

### The Narberth Players

were entertained at their monthly meeting Monday evening in Elm Hall with an original sketch by Faith Farmer. A graceful East Indian dance in native costume by winsome Peggie Edens, a peppy monologue by Jane Wilkinson and some good close harmony by the Players' Glee Club were all cleverly woven into a domestic playlet. Mrs. E. J. Pollock accompanied.

On February 4 and 5, "Three Corners Moon" will be presented.

When you buy from an advertiser in this paper, you help yourself, the advertiser, and the paper.

## Governor's Earle's Sympathy Held Cause of Bootleg Coal Problem

The sympathetic attitude maintained by Governor George H. Earle toward bootleg coal miners, and his failure to stop bootlegging before the situation got out of control, was scored by Leonard Ormerod, speaking before the Lower Merion-Narberth Council of Republican Women, Tuesday.

Ormerod, representing the Anthracite Institute, said Governor Earle showed many instances of his sympathetic attitude. "On one occasion, he gave a bootleg miner \$30 with which to purchase a pump so that he might pump water out of the bootleg hole on Philadelphia and Reading property which he was mining."

"In talking to bootleg miners," the

and Richard L. Miller is New  
Councilman, in  
Grand

### BOROUGH JOB SHUFFLE

which was precipitated by the resignation of Edwin P. Dold as tax collector. Events dragged at the beginning of Narberth's Council meeting, when the new secretary, Mrs. Ruth W. Grace, read reams of minutes and reports. For an hour and a half there was scant reward for the audience, which, for the first time in a long while, filled the chairs in Elm Hall's Council chamber. The gallery included ex-Councilman Robert F. Wood, enjoying his first role as spectator in 12 years; John J. Cabrey, Mrs. E. C. Town, who had put Mrs. Olive O'Sullivan, defeated Democratic candidate for tax collector, up to writing a letter; Business Council President Ralph S. Dunne, W. D. R. Evans, retiring Democratic Magistrate Dan Magarity, new Republican Squires Roy Gowland and Horace Smedley, and others.

Came routine business and committee appointments, and then, communications. Mr. Dold's resignation was read and accepted; then came John R. Hall's as Burgess; then Frank Schrepfer's as Councilman. For a space Narberth was minus three important officials.

Many applicants had been rumored seeking the post of tax collector, which is estimated to pay, net, about \$2000 a year. But only two letters were presented:

The following from Olive Stark O'Sullivan, 85 Windsor avenue:

"I am asking your consideration for the appointment to the office of Tax Collector, now vacant due to the resignation of Mr. Dold."

"Under similar circumstances, when Mrs. Diven resigned, the reason given for Mr. Dold's appointment in preference to Mr. Kirkpatrick was that he

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## Talking Book

Demonstrated At Junior Club, Plans  
Being Made for Bridge Tour-  
nament To Raise Funds.

Last night the Narberth Junior Club women were treated to a demonstration of their very own "Talking Book." The machine was bought with money raised for the purpose by the Juniors, for use in the community. An imposing walnut cabinet holds a radio in the bottom and a Victrola attachment on top. The radio dial has raised gilt pegs at the nine most used stations to enable the blind person to find them with facility.

The Victrola attachment of course plays the "books." These records may be obtained through the Philadelphia Library free of charge. A "Book" contains any number of records, sometimes as many as fifteen. And, too, the selection is not limited. It

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### New Officers

of the Narberth Italian-American Citizens Club took office this Thursday, the 13th, at the monthly meeting held at 320 Iona avenue. They are: Salvatore Frantantonio, president; Pasquale Spinelli, vice-president; Vincent Mariani, treasurer; Louis de Louis, corresponding secretary; Nick Azzari, assistant; Philip Spinelli, financial secretary, and Gabriel Et-tore, assistant.

## Governor's Earle's Sympathy Held Cause of Bootleg Coal Problem

speaker continued, "the Governor always asked if there would be bloodshed if the State Police were sent in to break up the bootlegging. When the answer was repeatedly in the affirmative, he gave that as the reason for his failure to maintain law and order."

"If such an attitude continues," Ormerod said, "and the unemployed are permitted to take over an employer's property in one instance, this cannot be confined to the coal industry alone."

Speaking for the miners, Mrs. John Williams, of Wilkes-Barre, told of the community sympathy in that locality for the bootleg miner. "Community buildings run by law-enforcing officials

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## Planning Commission for Borough is Urged

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(Editor's Note: Borough Council last year adopted on first reading an ordinance patterned on Lower Merion's, authorizing creation of a Planning Commission. The action was intended to give legal standing to the citizens on Burgess Hall's Improvements Committee—granting their request. The ordinance awaits polishing, in Roland Floor's Law and Ordinance Committee, preparatory to final passage by Council. The P. L. Committee which Mr. Hall appointed had Walter A. Fox for chairman, Robert C. Collins as vice-chairman, and Ralph Dunne for secretary, and T. Noel Butler, J. J. Calvey, Frank Schrepfer and Dr. O. J. Snyder.

## Gov. Earle's Sympathy Held Cause of Problem

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buy better coal, not only because it is cheaper but also because they are in sympathy with the miners," she said.  
This she explained by the fact that coal operators are extremely unpopular in the anthracite region. "Operators have taken billions in wealth out of the communities but they put very little back," she said.

"They are extraordinarily lacking in civic pride. There are few libraries or community buildings in this section just squalor."

The meeting, presided over by the president of the council, Mrs. John Y. Huber, was thrown open for question and a discussion by the members at the close of the talks.

## Stockholders Approve Increased Bank Stock

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E. C. Griswold and Edwin P. Dold. President Alexander pointed out Tuesday night that with deposits of \$795,177.97 at year's end, the bank had grown much more than they contemplated when the original capital of \$50,000 had been arranged. To accord with the bank's growth, it was accordingly voted to issue \$25,000 worth of new shares, and to change the capital stock from \$50 par value (plus \$10 toward surplus) to five shares-for-one at \$10 par value (plus \$2 toward surplus). The new stock, issued at \$12 per share, is being offered present stockholders before the public is invited to participate.

It was pointed out that the book value of the original shares has increased by more than 16 per cent since their purchase, and in addition, dividends equal to saving-fund interest have been paid for the past two years. . . . Two-thirds of the deposits are in cash, reserve and government bonds. . . . With the new capital, prospects of more dividends will be even higher than at present.

## In the Mailbag

"They Live On . . ."

Editor, Our Town:

Last Sunday Narberth paid homage at a beautifully impressive ceremony to an outstanding son—Mr. Charles V. Noel. Each speaker spoke with such heartfelt sincerity and true brotherhood that any addition that might have been made would have seemed superfluous.

Realizing this, I still cannot refrain from adding one thought.

The occasion brought to mind one that happened many thousand years ago. I speak of Abraham, the Patriarch, whose unwavering faith in God endeared him not only to one sect, one people, one nation, but to the entire civilized world today. For it was he who, despite undying love for his only son, was ready, at God's command, to offer him as a sacrifice.

Our friend, Mr. Noel, patterned himself in the Patriarch's ways, for regardless of cost to himself or those he loved and held dear, he gave his all for his fellowman.

Death cannot blur these people from our vision. Their loyalty, heroism and sacrifice know no time limit. For them there is no death. They live on through the ages.

H. RICKLIN.

## "52nd Street" and Five Walt Disney Prize-Winners Are Showing at Narberth

Sure-fire entertainment is afforded at the Narberth Theatre this Friday and Saturday, with "52nd Street" and the "Walt Disney Academy Award Revue." Celebrating Disney's five year reign as king of cartoon animators, the Revue features his five prize-winners: "Flowers and Trees," "Three Little Pigs," "Tortoise and the Hare," "Three Orphan Kittens," and "Country Cousin"—an epochal hour of fun, fantasy and melody.

"Fifty-Second Street," the famous New York block bounded by Fifth and Sixth Avenues, contains more music, excitement, thrills and entertainment than any other spot in the world, and they're transplanted to the screen in the film featured at Narberth this week-end. The story swans from 1912 to 1937.

Kenny Baker, sensational radio star, heads the distinguished cast comprising Ian Hunter, Leo Carrillo, Pat Paterson, Ella Logan, Sid Siers, Zasu Pitts, Marla Shelton and a veritable army of night club entertainers including Jack White and Pat Harrington of the famous "48" Club, Roco and Sauter of the Kit Kat Club, Georgie Tapp of the Paradise, Cool and Brown of the Harlem Uptown House, Jerry Colonna, Al Norman and as delightful an aggregation of buffoons and performers as ever stepped from a night club floor to the screen for the first time. The "52nd Street" girls represent a galaxy of the most beautiful of all showgirls.

Eight great musical numbers are featured in the picture. Among the song hits are "Don't Save Your Love For a Rainy Day," "I Would Like to See Samoa of Samoa," "Nothing Can Stop Me Now," "52nd Street," "Let Your Hair Down." A special ballad is introduced by Miss Paterson. "I Still Love To Kiss You Good Night" and a comic number "Twenty-three Skidoo" is presented by Zasu Pitts.

Monday and Tuesday, "Second Hand Romeo" will co-star dramatic Tyrone Power and beautiful Loretta Young most charmingly.

Wednesday, Narberth's big night, and Thursday, that thrilling, realistic and factual story of modern times, "Submarine D-1," will head the program.

## Annapolis Comedy is at Egyptian: "Stage Door" Due

"Navy Blue and Gold," at the Egyptian this Friday and Saturday, is a story of three midshipmen at Annapolis who are roommates and loyal friends. This grand gridiron comedy stars Jimmy Stewart, Robert Young, Florence Rice and Tom Brown.

One of the strongest and most significant star combinations of recent years comes to the screen with Katharine Hepburn, Ginger Rogers and Adolphe Menjou, in the top spot, "Stage Door," playing at the Egyptian next Monday and Tuesday.

"Make a Wish," starring Bobby Bren, at the Egyptian next Wednesday and Thursday, including Thursday matinee, is easily qualified as the best in which the young singer has ever appeared. "Make a Wish" pleasingly mixed with comedy, romance, tuneful songs and a beautiful background.

## "Mayerling" Introduces World Famed Star, Danielle Darrieux

"Mayerling," the screen version of Crown Prince Rudolph's ill-starred love affair with Marie Vetsera, starring Charles Boyer, serves to introduce Danielle Darrieux, the new Universal star, who recently arrived in this country. Although twenty years old Miss Darrieux has already received international acclaim. She started her film career at fourteen, playing the young heroine in the

THE FAMOUS  
**EGYPTIAN**  
with Robert YOUNG  
James STEWART  
Lionel BARRYMORE  
Florence RICE • Billie BURKE • Tom BROWN  
Samuel S. Hinds  
Paul Kelly • Barnett Parker



CHARLES BOYER  
as Archduke Rudolph of Austria  
in "Mayerling" beginning Sunday at the Suburban Theater.

## Main Line Branch Elects 43 Directors at Meeting

Forty-three directors were unanimously elected at the annual meeting, January 10, of the Main Line Branch, American Red Cross, held at Ardmore with Mrs. Henry C. Earnshaw, chairman, presiding.

Annual reports of the 13 active departments were read.

Mrs. Earnshaw reported that the Roll Call has 7500 members, and that every Major surpassed her total of last year (1936).

Tea was served with Mrs. William R. Mooney and Mrs. Emmett R. Tatnell at the tea table.

screen adaptation of Irene Nemirovsky's "The End of the World." She has appeared in "Children of Dreams," "Volga in Flames," "My Heart is Calling You," "Ded," and "Domino Vert," among other films. Her impersonation of Marie Vetsera is the most important of her career and on the merit of it she was awarded a five year million dollar contract. Anstole Livak directed "Mayerling" which will make its premiere Sunday at the Suburban Theater.

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MONTGOMERY AVE.  
ARDMORE

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**45 FATHERS**  
with THOMAS BECK LOUISE HENRY  
The HARTMANS

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"THE COUNTRY COUSIN"  
"FLOWERS AND TREES"  
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## Narberth Bridge Club

Friday afternoon, January 7, top score, Mrs. M. C. Hinebaugh, Jr., and Mrs. Howard D. Simpson; Mrs. Allen Shubert and Miss Anna V. Foley tied with Mrs. Frank McEnamen and Mrs. Arthur Cooney for second place.

Saturday evening, January 8, top score, Dr. Mark Morgan and Arthur Cooney; second place, Mr. and Mrs. Sherman.

Monday Night Tournament, N. and S. high, Arthur Cooney and Dr. Mark Morgan; E. and W. high, William Thompson and Walter Harris.

## Four Organ Recitals

are being given, the Saturday afternoons of January, at 4 o'clock, at Girard College Chapel, by Harry C. Banks, Jr., organist at Girard. Mr. Banks, who directs the Choral Arts Society and lives in Penn Valley, has

for his program this Saturday works of American composers Miller, McCollin, Barnes, J. S. Matthews, H. A. Matthews, Stebbins, Stoughton, Shelley and Banks. Last Saturday's recital was devoted to Bach.

## Aid the Army

Mrs. H. Childs Hodgins, Cynwyd, is a member of the Hostess Committee of the Salvation Army campaign.

The Salvation Army's appeal for funds is being carried to this community on the ground that it is not a beneficiary of the United Campaign nor of any Federal, State or City relief appropriations, and that it is dependent upon the public's response in this campaign for funds to carry on its fine work throughout the year. The drive began with a meeting of 1000 workers at the Penn A. C. on Monday.

## That's My Story

Help! Our Town was swamped with reading matter this week. Can't you cut down a bit?—or better still, get some extra-ordinary revenue started to finance the greatly increased cost of typesetting and printing the news?

TOM ELWOOD.

## Shoot 962

Walter Miesen's team was defeated by Ernest Jenkins', 962 to 901, in an intra-club match of Lower Merion Rod and Gun Club teams, Tuesday evening at their indoor range on Essex avenue, Narberth. Jack DuBois was evening's high scorer, with 176. Winning team was DuBois, Ray Chain, 151; Wallace Goodwin, 141; Dr. Whitaker, 101; Warren Whitaker, 108; Ray Chain, Jr., 150; Ernest Jenkins, 135.



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## Tickets Now on Sale For Roosevelt Ball

**Birthday Event Will be January  
29 at Overbrook Coun-  
try Club**

Tickets for the Roosevelt Birthday Ball at the Overbrook Country Club, January 29, were placed on sale today in several sections of Lower Merion Township.

Proceeds will go towards stamping out infantile paralysis and to care for needy victims in Lower Merion. The local committee retains 70 per cent of the money and the remaining 30 per cent goes to the national infantile paralysis committee.

Many local victims of the dread disease have been treated through the efforts of the Lower Merion committee.

William H. Haws is chairman of Narberth's observance.

The local persons having tickets for sale include J. T. Durnin, Mrs. William McAndrew, Grandview road, Ardmore, chairman; William J. Carey, Holland avenue, Ardmore; Joseph Magarity, Narberth; Joseph McElwee, Merion; Percy Lukens, Bryn Mawr; J. Marley Kearney, Ardmore; Miss Florence Dougherty, Cynwyd; Dennis J. Sullivan, Rosemont; Frank McGurk, Penn Wynne; James Grundy, Ardmore.

Vice chairmen of the Montgomery County General Committee, announced this week by General Chairman James W. Potter include Mrs. McAndrew, the Hon. Fred C. Peters, Ardmore, and John J. Doyle, Bryn Mawr.

### Personal Property

tax reports must be filed in Montgomery County by the 15th, this Saturday, whether the forms have been received or not, according to Assessor Mrs. Louise V. Cockrill. Information should be given on any property owned that is taxable in this state. For details, or blanks, Mrs. Cockrill is available at her home, 307 Grayling (Narberth 2718) the rest of this week between 8 and 4, daytime, and 8 and 10, night. She has information on what is not taxable, that may be helpful in making reports. (The State returns are not due until the 15th of February.)

### Legett—Staley

The marriage of Miss Helen Staley, daughter of Dr. and Mrs. Robert M. Staley, of Avon road, and Mr. Curtis Baker Legett, son of Mr. and Mrs. Durward Legett, of Tarboro, N. C., took place quietly, due to the recent bereavement in the family, last Thursday noon, at All Saint's Church, Wynnewood. The Reverend Gibson Bell, rector of the church, officiated.

The bride, who was given in marriage by her father, wore a princess gown of slate blue crepe and a brown hat with slippers to match, and a corsage of orchids.

Her sister, Mrs. Robert Scott, who was the matron of honor and only attendant, wore a gown of dusty pink with a short jacket trimmed with lace, with hat of brown and matching shoes.

Mr. Durward Legett was best man for his son.

After an extended honeymoon in Florida, Mr. Legett and his bride will reside at Williamstown, N. C. They will be at home after February 15.

### The Annual Meeting

of All Saints Church Parish will be held in the Parish House next Thursday at 8 P. M., according to notices sent this week by Henry W. Pfeiffer, secretary. The Rev. Gibson Bell has invited all parishioners to attend a supper in the Parish House at 7 o'clock that evening.

At the 11 A. M. Service Sunday, the Right Rev. A. A. Gilman, D.D., Bishop of Hankow, Wuchang, will preach concerning China's tragic situation and what the Church is doing and can do.

### Neighbors Are Engaged

Mrs. Ralph Davidson Megee, of Dudley avenue, announces the engagement of her daughter, Miss Louise Megee, to Mr. George Cochran Wilmet, son of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Smith Wilmet, of Essex avenue, Narberth.

Help the local business section; it helps you.

### Carson—Getty

The marriage of Miss Virginia Getty, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. C. V. B. Getty, of the Avon Apartments, Narberth, and Mr. Randolph Lyon Carson, son of Mrs. Virginia R. Carson and the late Mr. Carson, of Philadelphia, took place at 4:30 Wednesday afternoon, at the home of the bride's sister, Mrs. William H. Jeffries, 210 Wayne avenue, Narberth. The Reverend J. Samuel Stephenson, assistant rector of St. Martins-in-the-Field, Chestnut Hill, officiated.

The bride, given in marriage by her father, wore a model of ivory velvet fashioned on simple lines, with a long train. Her veil of ivory tulle was fastened to her head with a cluster of flowers. She carried an arm bouquet of bouvardia, lilies of the valley and maiden hair fern.

Her sister, Miss Harriet Hayes Getty, who was maid of honor and her only attendant, wore a model of powdered blue crepe. Her bouquet was of pink African daisies, bouvardia, blue lace flowers and acacia.

Mr. Thomas C. Carson served as best man for his brother.

A small reception followed the ceremony.

### Miss Needham Engaged

Mr. and Mrs. A. W. Needham, of 103 Chestnut avenue, announce the engagement of their daughter, Miss Bettie M. Needham, and Mr. Thomas J. Johnston, son of Dr. and Mrs. Leonard B. Johnston, of Overbrook.

Miss Needham is a graduate of Lower Merion High School and attends Peirce Business College.

Mr. Johnston is a graduate of Franklin and Marshall College.

Miss Needham's parents have been residents of Narberth for forty years.

### New Dentist in Town

Dr. Edward F. Allen, a graduate of the University of Pittsburgh, is opening next week his offices for the practice of general dentistry, at 223 Haverford avenue, over Cotter's Market. He is making his home at 122 Elmwood.

## The Fireside

Mrs. A. H. Durboraw, Elmwood avenue, is the guest for two weeks of her son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Thomas M. Malin, York, Pa.

Mrs. Charles Offenhauser, Barri-road, entertained her club at bridge, Tuesday evening.

Mr. E. J. Pollock, Avon road, will entertain the members of the Sports Department of the Evening Public Ledger at a party at the Thomas D. Vandiver American Legion House in Bala-Cynwyd, this Friday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Ralph C. Heath, Shirley road, gave a New England baked bean supper on Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Spencer V. Smith, Essex avenue, have as their guest for several days Mrs. Harry Schweinsberg, of Baltimore, Md., formerly of Narberth.

Mrs. Ellsworth Clark, Chestnut avenue, and Mrs. James B. Moore, Springfield, are giving a tea at the home of Mrs. Moore this Friday in honor of Mrs. Schweinsberg.

Mrs. Clark entertained at a tea last Wednesday in honor of her mother-in-law, Mrs. Charles E. Clark. The Clarks will spend the week-end at their cottage in Stone Harbor, N. J.

Mr. and Mrs. Judson White, Mr. and Mrs. C. V. Gunther and Mrs. Clara Turnbull, of West Chester County, New York, were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. J. P. White, Essex avenue, over the week-end.

Mr. John Stoudt, who has been spending the Christmas vacation with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Charles B. Stoudt, of Woodside avenue, returned to Tome School, last week.

Mrs. A. Perry Reifer, 226 Essex avenue, is entertaining the Fortnightly Club at luncheon this Friday. She

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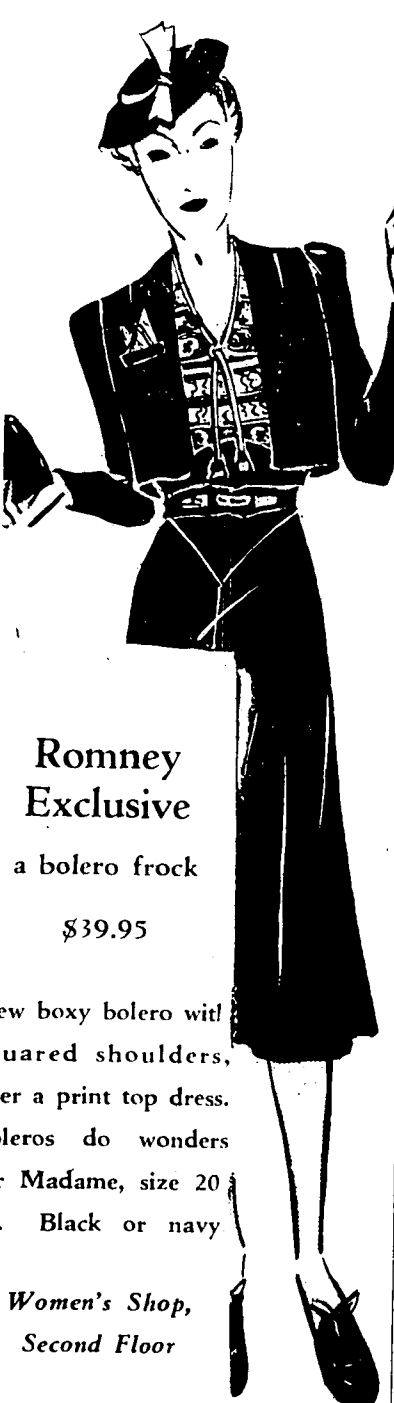
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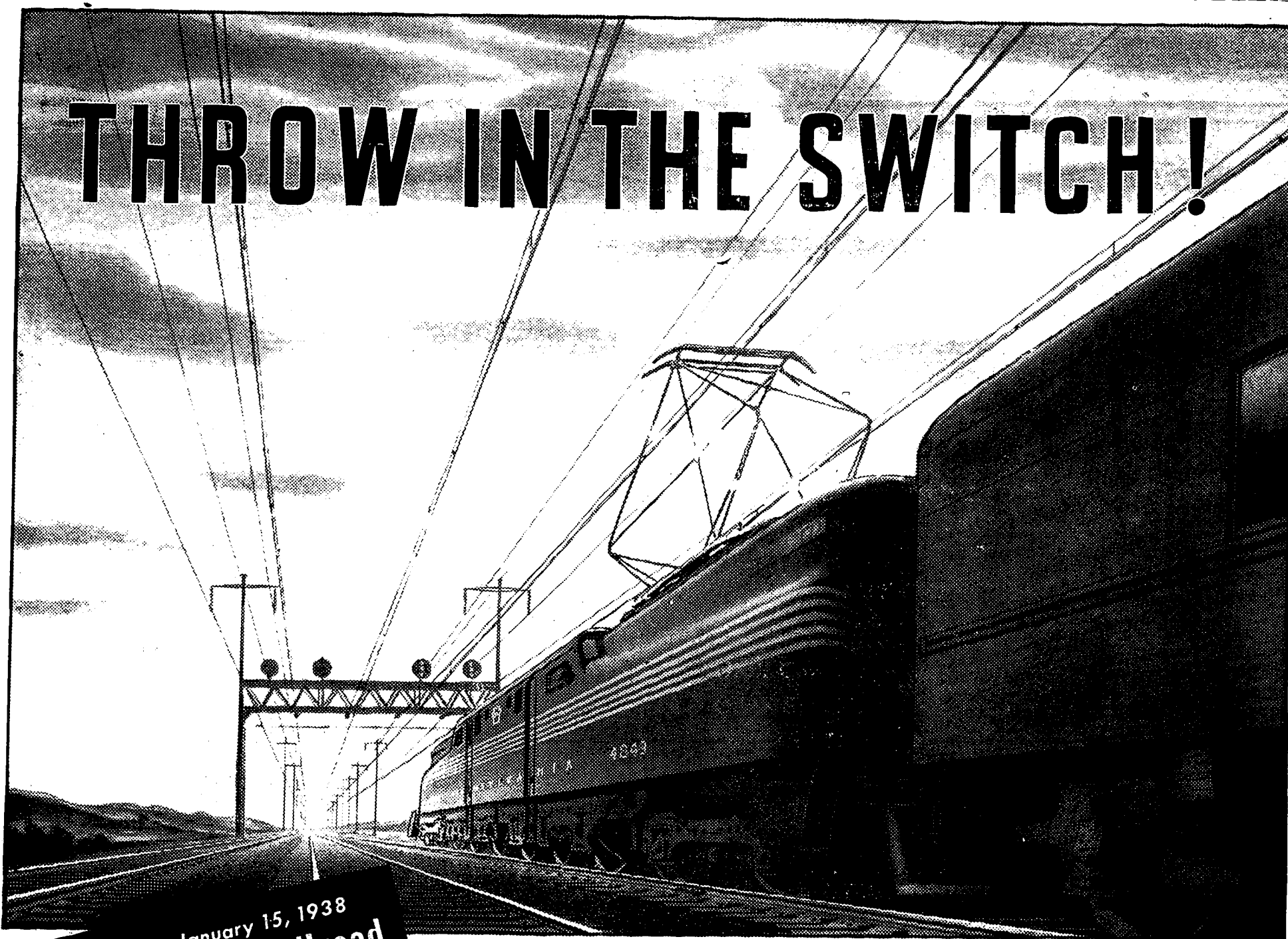
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## Lower Merion's Care For Underprivileged

School Children Was Described  
Tuesday at the Bala-Cynwyd-Narberth

Rotary Club meeting. Miss Elizabeth Henne, township school district nurse, told how under-nourished, ill-clothed children in Lower Merion schools are examined, and given shoes, milk, cod liver oil, medical care, glasses, etc., which are donated by local individuals and clubs such as Rotary. She mentioned one boy who was transformed from the most unruly to the best behaved boy in his class, by the expenditure of 50c a day on food which he had lacked at home. Miss Sue Swartzlander, corrective teacher, showed with charts how exercises and other measures improved the posture and health and outlook of flat-footed, stoop-shouldered children. The program was in charge of Dr. Richard C. Meers, whom Miss Henne commended for his co-operation in making the resources of dental surgery conveniently available to the school children.

Sh-h-h-

Narberth Council's perennial "sneerer" was squelched Monday night—and how! . . . With all the pressure that was expected to be put on it, Council could have put its members in hot water if its selection of tax collector, burgess and councilman had been unpopular. . . . and so Councilman Gene Davis, away on his annual Southern vacation, undoubtedly found that Florida was cooler.

What's this about 926 parking violations last year, and only \$326 collected in fines? Shades of Fred Walzer! At that, most residents would prefer warnings to fines—now, wouldn't you? . . . Bulk of the offenses were for all-night parking (494) (tush, tush), and parking in the Pike zone (172) (tut, tut) . . . Magistrates Roy Gowan and Horace Smedley, newly sworn in at Norristown, are all set to start magistrating, but Burgess (ex-Burgess, that is) Hall has been holding traffic court Thursday evenings since Walzer's lenient days, and especially since Squire Fritsch's death. . . . What Burgess Schrepfer's attitude will be remains to be seen. One thing's certain: it's sure to be popular.

## Church Notes

### Baptist Church of the Evangel

Robert E. Keighton, Minister  
Sunday, January 16:  
9:45 A. M.—The Church School.  
11 A. M.—Morning Worship.  
Sermon: "The Judgment of the Hour."  
7:00 P. M.—Young People's Meeting. Leader: Janet Stringfield.  
Tuesday, January 17:  
12:30 P. M.—Covered Dish Luncheon. The Women's Association invites you to this luncheon. The cost is 35¢.  
Wednesday, January 18:  
8:30 P. M.—Midweek Meeting of the Church. Further personal problem in morality faced by Christian life.

### Holy Trinity Lutheran Church

Rev. Cletus A. Senft, Pastor  
Sunday, January 16, 1938  
9:15 A. M.—Bible School.  
11:00 A. M.—The Morning Service. Theme: "The Duty of the Church."  
6:45 P. M.—Open meeting of the Lutheran League. Sister Margaret Fry, of the Mary Drexel Home and the Philadelphia Home of Deaconesses, will speak on "Life Service."  
7:15 P. M.—The Vesper Service and Bible Study in the Life of Christ: "The Period of Retirement."  
Tuesday, 8:00 P. M.—Teachers' meeting at the home of Mrs. Cedarstrom, 114 Elmwood avenue. Miss Margaret Elsie Locker, an editor of Sunday School literature, will be present.  
Wednesday, 6:30 P. M.—Annual congregational dinner and meeting. The speaker will be Dr. N. L. Melhorn, editor of The Lutheran.  
Friday, 7:00 P. M.—Confirmation Class.  
Friday, 8:00 P. M.—Senior Choir rehearsal.

### The Presbyterian Church

Rev. Archer E. Anderson, Th.D., Pastor.  
9:45 A. M.—Bible School.  
11 A. M.—Morning Worship. Sermon by the pastor.  
11 A. M.—The junior church, conducted by Mrs. Digby.  
11 A. M.—Children's nursery, under the supervision of Miss Tibben.  
6:45 P. M.—The three Christian Endeavor groups.  
7:45 P. M.—Narberth's Happy Bible Hour. Sermon by the pastor.  
Wednesday: 8 P. M.—Prayer meeting.

### Narberth Methodist Episcopal

Rev. W. Vernon Middleton, Minister  
Sunday, January 16:  
9:45 A. M.—Church School.  
11:00 A. M.—Morning Worship. Sermon: "The Challenge of the Church to the World."  
6:45 P. M.—Epworth League.  
7:45 P. M.—Evening Service. Sermon: "The Futility of Unbelief."  
Tuesday, January 18:  
8:00 P. M.—Friendship Circle Business Meeting at the home of Mrs. J. S. Erichson.  
Wednesday, January 19:  
10:30 A. M.—The Ladies' Aid Society meets to sew.  
12:30 P. M.—Luncheon.  
2:00 P. M.—Ladies' Aid Society Business Meeting.  
8:00 P. M.—Mid-Week Service. Read John 8 and 9.  
Thursday, January 20:  
6:30 P. M.—Junior Choir Rehearsal.  
8:00 P. M.—Choir Rehearsal.

### SHERIFF'S SALE

By virtue of a writ of Levari Facias, issued out of the Court of Common Pleas of Montgomery County, Penna., to me directed, will be sold at Public Sale on

WEDNESDAY, FEBRUARY 2, 1938

at 1000 clock, P. M., Eastern Standard Time, in Court Room "A" at the Court House, in the Borough of Norristown, said County, the following described Real Estate:

ALL THAT CERTAIN lot or piece of ground with the buildings and improvements thereon erected, Situate in the Township of Lower Merion, County of Montgomery, and State of Pennsylvania, and described, according to a survey and plan thereof made by Milton R. Yerkes, C. E., Bryn Mawr, Pa., July 31, 1919, as follows, to-wit:

BEGINNING in the middle of Schiller Avenue (40 feet wide), 144.9 feet South-easterly from its intersection with the middle line of Brookhurst Avenue, thence extending along the middle of Schiller Avenue South 60° 22' 43" East, 24.6 feet and extending of that width in length or depth between parallel lines on a course South 29° 22' 47" West, 109 feet; thence Northwesterly line thereof passing along the center of the partition wall dividing these from the premises to the North west.

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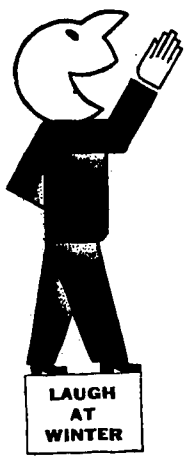
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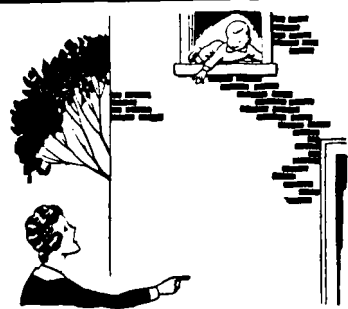
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**The Fireside**

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has just returned from a several weeks' stay at West Englewood, N. J., where she was the guest of her daughter, Mrs. Ogden Miller.

Mrs. R. J. Dohard, Wynnewood road, entertained at a breakfast and bridge on Wednesday. She will attend the Pennsylvania Mayflower luncheon and reception at the Barclay this Saturday.

Mr. Richard Carruth, of Hollywood, California, a student of Culver Military School of Indianapolis, was the week-end guest of Miss Ruth C. Floyd, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. A. S. Hutton, 14 Avon road, Merion.

Miss Louise Woodcock, daughter of Mrs. Verna Ruth Woodcock, of 1128 Montgomery avenue, was recently elected a member of the honorary hockey team of Hood College, Frederick, Md., where she is a member of the junior class. Miss Woodcock is one of eleven girls accorded this honor, which is the only form of varsity recognition in sports at the college.

Miss Woodcock was also recently chosen chairman for the May Day celebration of the college this year. She is chairman of her class Endowment Fund, was Campus Day chairman, and college hockey manager.

**Engaged**

Mr. and Mrs. J. Alfred Corey, of Wynnewood, have announced the engagement of their daughter, Miss Elizabeth Corey, and Mr. William Howard Quay, son of Mrs. W. L. Quay, and the late Mr. Quay, of Philadelphia.

Miss Corey, a graduate of the Baldwin School, is a student at Bryn Mawr College.

Mr. Quay was graduated from Dickinson College, and is a member of the Beta Theta Pi fraternity.

**Narberth School News**

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Mary Wade Collins, Mary Jo Dunnington, Marjorie Enz, Dorothy Hutton, Harriet Nold, Betty Ridge and Eleanor Stam. Eighth grades: Richard Bossone, Allen Doty, Victor Heath, Harry Middleton, James Pruitt, Robert Wells, Edna Andrew, Peggy Aul, Sue Austin, Betty Hollar, Katrina Hoyt, Betty Schellentrager, Barbara Smedley, Elaine Starr, Kathryn Uhle.

There are 43 on the honor roll altogether.

The girls' basketball games are beginning. The Reds elected their captain, Nellie Curran, and the Grays elected Betty Hollar. The other members of the Red team are: Reba Hutton, Edith Marianna, Alyce Cook, Mary Lazerini, Edna Andrew, Jane Nulty, Kathryn Ridge, Peggy Eashy, Lois Schenck, Mary Wade Collins. The other Grays are: Katrina Hoyt, Barbara Smedley, Dixon Doughton, Janet Hicks, Eleanor Haywood, Mary Cappelli, Claire Robinson, Sue Austin, Mary Scorzetti, Antennette Scorzetti, Mina Mestichelli, Peggy Aul, Kathryn Uhle, Elaine Starr, Betty Ridge, Gloria Civitello.

The boys' basketball teams are also assembling. They have divided into four groups or teams, and each one has a captain. The captains are Bob Hayward, Bob Narrigan, Bob Miller and Victor Heath. During the basketball season these groups will form one good team and play other schools. The first will be with Waldron Academy, and it will be played away.

ELEANOR HAYWARD,  
Student Reporter.

**Coat-of-Arms**

Last year the Seventh grade boys began the work on coat-of-arms in art class. They used the coat-of-arms of their families. These they painted on wooden shields. The girls in their art class lettered the meanings on paper and these were tacked to the shields. All finished, they may now be seen in Mr. Harkness's history room.

**Clean Show**

An interesting marionette show in three acts was given by the W. P. A. Theatre on January 7, in assembly period. It taught the value of cleanliness. Mrs. Alfred Knapp, of the P. T. A., introduced Nathan Sinderbrand, the manager, who told us about the show, called "Pirates Ahoy."

At the beginning and during the show the W. P. A. orchestra played a number of sea songs.

BETTY HOLLAR,  
Student Reporter.

**Guild Gave Bridge**

St. Margaret's Senior Guild gave a luncheon-bridge at Bala Country Club on Monday. Hostesses were Mrs. Raymond Cabrey, Mrs. Michael Conneen, Mrs. Michael Devine, Mrs. John Borden, Mrs. Joseph Haenn, Mrs. William McGarity and Mrs. Henry Smith.

**The Contrast**

*Between the Aggressive Character of the Japanese and the Lethargic Weakness of the*

Chinese was brought out at the meeting of the group on Literature and International Relations Tuesday at the home of the Narberth Women's Club president, Mrs. E. W. Heymann, when the following books were reviewed: "Aliens in the Far East," by Harry Emerson Wildes, reviewed by Mrs. A. J. Sigel, and "My Life and My People," by Lin Yutang, reviewed by Mrs. Walter C. Michels.

Mrs. Joseph Gurbarg, chairman, summarized the book review of Mr. Weeks, editor of the Atlantic Monthly, and announced that the next group meeting would be at her home, January 20, with Mrs. Joseph Miller and Mrs. J. H. Speck as co-hostesses. Mrs. Lewis Crater will review "The Saga of American Society," by Dixon Webster, and Mrs. Harry Helson, "The Hundred Years," by Phillip Guedalla.

"We can understand Japan's present fierce nationalism when we read in Mr. Wilde's new book how Japanese were taught to fear foreigners and to trick and torture them from the time Japan was discovered by Portuguese pirates in 1543. It was only in 1868 that the Emperor decreed protection to foreigners, but now the same old hatred is returning," said Mrs. Sigel.

"Mr. Lin Yutang seems to believe China's only solution would be to have the courage to shoot those officials who are dishonorable and corrupt, but that the people are too weak," said Mrs. Michels. "In some districts officials are taxing the people thirty years in advance, while they provide luxuries for themselves and all their cousins. Is it any wonder that a China as listless as that is overrun by Japanese? And yet, so great is the philosophic beauty and shrewdness of the Chinese that the author shows why our sympathy is with them."

**Gray Lady's Corps Organizes to Aid Hospital Ward Patients**

The Gray Lady's Corps of the Main Line Branch of the American Red Cross has been organized and lectures of instruction are being given to the 29 members.

This organization was started at the close of the World War for the purpose of raising the morale of ward patients in hospitals. Members of this corps will give their services to Bryn Mawr Hospital where they will be on duty certain hours every week. They will visit the ward patients, co-operating with the social service department to make their stay in the hospital as pleasant as possible.

Among those who are members are Mrs. Alexander H. Reynolds, Sr., of Merion; Mrs. William H. Megee, of Cynwyd; Mrs. S. G. Hoyt and Mrs. Clothier Jones, of Ardmore; Miss Marion K. Johnson, of Haverford, is chairman of the Corps.

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ranges from the Bible through Shakespeare, all the classics to the modern novels. It is really a blessing for the blind, particularly those who do not read Braille, as Miss Marion C. Kohn, the speaker, said.

Major Maude Hazelwood spoke on behalf of the Salvation Army Drive, to which the Juniors contribute annually.

It was announced that the last two Blanket Club winners were Mrs. Wayne Burnside and Mrs. Glenn A. Williams.

The next regular meeting will be in charge of the Press Committee. Mrs. F. Munro Purse, the Fellowship Chairman, announced that the Annual Bridge Tournament will get under way the last week in January. Sign up early!

Mrs. Frank M. Floyd will give a review of American literature at the Book Club meeting next Thursday, 8.30 P. M., in the clubroom.

Several members of the Book Club attended the Thornton Wilder lecture at Bryn Mawr College, on Monday night. Four members of the Executive Board, Mrs. Spencer V. Smith, Mrs. Robert Leitch, Mrs. John H. Joffries, Jr., and Mrs. Walter S. Hunsicker, attended the United Campaign Women's Committee Luncheon to meet Mrs. Franklin D. Roosevelt today.—(M. K. H.)

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**Headlines and Highlights of News On Eastern Main Line During 1937****June**

Record class of 375 received diplomas at Lower Merion High School.

Lone handit held up Bala-Cynwyd Drug Store on City Line, escaped in taxicab with \$100.

Lower Merion building showed decrease in monthly report for first time in 26 months.

Miss Jane C. Nash, Narberth, graduated from Lower Merion High School after never having been tardy nor absent in 12 years' school attendance.



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Rev. J. E. Nidecker, author and linguist, died in Narberth in 87th year.

Two Lower Merion Township officials, Charles P. Smith, Superintendent of Police, and Fire Marshal Anthony McGrann died within twenty hours of each other.

Dr. William A. Pearson, Narberth, elected president of the American Institute of Homeopathy; Dr. Garth W. Boericke, Merion, re-elected to Board of Trustees.

Public Improvements Committee urged Narberth Council to appoint a Planning Commission for borough.

W. Grier Briner resigned as a Narberth school director with his term two years to run, because of "press of business."

State Public Utility Commission ordered that hazardous condition at Rockland avenue bridge be corrected by September 1.

Lower Merion Board of Health urged Governor Earle to veto Heyburn Milk Control Bill. (Governor later vetoed it.)

J. J. Cabrey appointed chairman of Narberth's Fourth of July celebration.

Main Line leaders gave testimonial dinner to Samuel M. Vauclain on 81st birthday.

Alfred Wetherill, Jr., Merion, died; veteran of Mexican Border campaign and last of long family line of "Fighting Quaker."

Lightning killed James Vanelli, Manayunk, while standing under tree in West Manayunk, injured three others.

Samuel Eugene Kuen, Sr., 72, former treasurer of Lower Merion School Board, died suddenly at Cynwyd home.

Albert Lee, West Manayunk, Lower Merion Township real estate assessor for 28 years, died in Bryn Mawr

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ing of the United Campaign at the Bellevue-Stratford this Friday for luncheon at 12 o'clock are: Mrs. E. W. Heymann, president; Mrs. J. D. Sutherland, first vice-president; Mrs. William Muller, corresponding secretary; Mrs. C. J. Goodyear and Mr. R. C. Heath, of the Board; Mrs. E. K. Bauer and Mrs. C. D. Swartz.

Members of the Hospitality Committee will meet for luncheon at one o'clock Wednesday at the home of the chairman, Mrs. R. C. Heath, and will plan that covered dish luncheon for the February 1st meeting. Mrs. C. A. Farmer is in charge of the Hobby Show which will be held at that meeting.

**Health and Civic Annual Meeting 27th in Merion**

The public is invited to the annual meeting of the Community Health and Civic Association, January 27, at the Merion War Tribute House. It will be preceded by a dinner (\$1.50 per) at 6.30. Dr. F. R. Griffin will be toastmaster; a motion picture, "Behind the Shadows," will be shown; reports given; and a talk on "Trend in Public Health Nursing in the Past Ten Years" will be given by the director of the York Visiting Nurse Association. Tickets may be obtained at the Association office, 25 E. Athens avenue, Ardmore.

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